

PRAYERS IN THE U. S. SENATE.—The following resolution was offered in the U. S. Senate, yesterday, by Mr. Saulsbury, of Delaware:

"Resolved, That the Chaplain of the Senate be respectfully requested hereafter to pray and supplicate Almighty God in our behalf, and not to lecture Him, informing him what to do, or state to Him, under pretense of prayer, his (the said Chaplain's) opinion in reference to His duty as the Almighty; and that the said Chaplain be further requested as aforesaid, not under the form of prayer, to lecture the Senate in relation to questions before the body."

Mr. Howard objected, and the resolution lies over.

The following is an extract from one of the prayers of Dr. Sunderland, the Chaplain of the Senate:

"Put far away from us, we beseech Thee, oh God, the miserable sophistry that would gamble in the priceless trusts and interests of human nature, with the more miserable coinage and catch-word of the despot and conspirator, and that turning to the same malign purposes of human arrogance and oppression would wrest and distort and pollute the very volume of inspiration itself; for though man may prove from the sacred page the existence of slavery, yet they may also prove from the same sacred source the existence and Divine sanction of hell itself. Yet we are admonished to prefer liberty to either, and flee alike from wrath."

The burning of Free Mason's Hall, Boston, on Tuesday night involves an irreparable loss in the destruction of archives, portraits, valuable relics and regalia. Scarcely anything was saved. The building was insured for sixty-one thousand dollars, chiefly in Boston.

DIED.

This morning, 8th inst., **DAVID BOYD SMITH**, in the 56th year of his age, one of our most esteemed and respected citizens.—His health had been declining for some time past. He was the son of the late Dr. Augustine J. Smith, of Fairfax county. Showing a predilection for the sea, he at an early period of his life, entered the merchant service, and subsequently commanded some of the finest vessels which sailed from this port. His character for integrity, his high and honorable feelings, his worth as a man in all the relations of life, were appreciated by all who knew him. His family lament their loss; his friends mourn their bereavement. His memory will long be cherished. His funeral will take place from his late residence, St. Asaph, st., to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock. His friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

In Jefferson County, Va., on Easter Sunday, (27th ult.) **CHARLES ARMISTEAD, ALEXANDER**, youngest son of the late Dr. Wm. F. Alexander, aged 20 years.

PEWS TO BE RENTED.—At a meeting of the Vestry of Christ Church on Tuesday Evening the 5th inst., it was ordered that the renting of the Pews of the said church take place on **MONDAY**, 11th inst., at 3 o'clock, p. m. Those wishing to obtain desirable pews should be prompt in their attendance.

CHAS. PAGE, Wardm.,
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ap 8—2t

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